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In re Application of :
E. Wendell Diller : DECISION ON PETITION
Application No. 09/923,272 : TO WITHDRAW THE
Filed: August 3, 2001 : HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT
For: ELONGATED VENTED GUN BARREL

This is a decision on the petition to withdrawal the holding of abandonment filed on October 28, 2004 in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

The petition is GRANTED in view of the following evidence of timely filing :

- Postcard receipt being dated _____.
- USPTO return facsimile receipt dated January 29, 2003 which identifies the application by serial number and the type of Response that was filed on that date.
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This application is being forwarded to the Supervisory Legal Instruments Examiner for entry of the Response filed with the petition, then to the examiner for prompt action on the response.

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